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Israel C. Ward.

The death of Mr. Israel C. Ward, which occurred on Thursday of this week, will make a large vacancy in many of our local interests. Mr. Ward has resided in Bloomfield for more than half a century and has lived to see the farm which he purchased, adjoining the Park, or Common as it was then called, cut into streets and built up with many large and substantial dwellings. In fact these improvements were devised and carried in to effect by the wise judgment of Mr. Ward.

It is probably true that Israel C. Ward has owned and sold greater number of separate pieces of property in this township than any other man who has ever lived here. The best years of his life were devoted to advancing the interests of the community in which he lived, and no one can doubt that his efforts were unusually successful and most wisely exerted for that purpose.

Mr. Ward's public spirit showed itself in many directions. He was a firm friend of the Public Schools and donated a portion of his land for the use of the schools. He was a most earnest member of the Old Church and for many years has contributed liberally of his means for its support. He was hospitable in the extreme, and his friends were always welcomed at his table, and his home was frequently tendered for public gatherings and receptions.

He served for many years on the Board of Trustees of the Old Church and has for nearly twenty years been an Elder in that Society. He has been active in the management of the affairs of the Essex County Mutual Insurance Company, and at the time of his death was the President of the Bloomfield Savings Institution.

Although he had lived to be over eighty years of age his interest in public matters was still very great and his figure was a familiar one upon our streets until a few days ago.

In his private character, Mr. Ward was kind and affectionate, charitable in his opinions, and generous in his deeds.

He was especially beloved by his neighbors, every one of whom, from the youngest child to the oldest man, will feel his death as a personal loss, and will sincerely miss his kindly greeting and neighborly interest and regard.

His unusual consideration for little children, both for those who belonged to his family, and also for those residing near him was a beautiful trait in his character which will endear his memory to many who are still too young to realize their own loss in his death.

A long and useful life has closed, and another of the generation of men who did so much for Bloomfield, has "gone over to the majority."

Washington Street Bridge.

The Jersey City Bridge Bill was defeated in the Assembly during the past week by a very close vote, 27 to 31. This measure is most earnestly desired by the inhabitants of Jersey City and for ten years they have petitioned the legislature to pass a law authorizing the construction of the bridge, but the "influence" of two corporations has been sufficient to defeat them on every occasion.

So far as we can judge, the bill ought to have passed, and we observe with some surprise and a good deal of regret that our representative, Mr. Underhill, voted against the interests of the people of Jersey City and in favor of the Railroads which stand in the way of this much needed improvement.

We do not know what considerations induced Mr. Underhill to oppose the Washington Street Bridge, and do not wish to blame him unjustly, but the people of Jersey City are entitled to have that bridge and a vote against the interests of the public ought to have some good reason back of it.

The measure may come up again this session, and if it should, Mr. Underhill will have an opportunity to think twice before he repeats the vote of Monday evening.

After the Election.

"After the Battle" is a French picture, representing the veterans of yesterday's conflict, drawn up in line. Men with bandaged arms, legs, heads and bodies appear in the ranks. The sick and the feeble drag themselves beside their fallen, proud of their wounds and eager to bear the word of praise.

Election conflicts exhibit some of the same characteristics. Men once proud of their good name, and sure of their popularity, suddenly find themselves "hors du combat," struck down by missiles from unexpected quarters.

Personal wounds are grievous and unaccountable. The sensitive, the vain, the self-seeking will find politics an unsatisfactory calling. But personal successes and personal losses are not the important elements of a great battle. The gains or losses to the armies, to the country, and to the cause, are most to be considered. Military critics will wonder at the skill, or deplore the blunders of the commanding officer.

In the campaign just closed, with the triumphal election of the whole Republican ticket, is food for many reflections.

The strength of the party was in the selection of good men, the refusal to submit to the dictation of any, and a determination to punish the unjust treatment of its servants.

Once for all, let it be said, that the place to make a Republican ticket is in a Republican primary; that there objection and new men placed in nomination; but to those to candidates may be freely offered, declare that unless these objections are sustained, the ticket will be defeated, is treachery to the party. At the last primary the attack upon the party was from both flanks. Upon the one side, the ultra temperance men would have only total abstinence candidates, a demand which could not be granted, for such men could not be secured to fill the offices, as their own ticket plainly shows—the men whom they nominated would not accept the offices, if elected.

The position of the trades-unions is different. To boycott men who have toiled by the side of workmen, who have favored their unions and labored to protect their interests, because in a single instance they questioned the justice of their demands, was felt to be an unjustifiable act. As such the Republican party stood by its servants to the end, preferring to see them defeated than surrender their principles. The country has experienced many evils from the tyranny of capital, but the tyranny of labor will be no less a disaster to its interests. Unprejudiced men will not hesitate to support any reasonable demand of those who have been pushed to the wall by the selfishness of the rich and powerful, but they must first be convinced that it is reasonable. Right are slowly gained, and must be temperately used, if they are to endure. Patience, moderation, respect for the rights of others will accomplish more in the end than demands made without explanation, reason, or gratitude to faithful friends.

To the Republican party the present is an auspicious occasion; for it points the secret of success.

The folly of attempting to solidify for State and National campaigns, a party which has no policy but to temporize with individuals, cliques and the Democratic elements, is vain. If it is desired to cast a full vote on any occasion, the morale of the party must constantly be sustained by large primaries; full, fair, and temperate discussion; wise decisions of the majority, and a loyal support of the ticket upon election day.

The men who will not attend the primaries, abide by the decisions of the majority, and vote the ticket, are not Republicans, but should be met as the common enemy.

Upon all such this election teaches, that it is wise to "sit down hard." A strong army was never made by encouraging insubordination, nor a victorious party by coddling mugwumps, office-seekers, or pedants.

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STANLEY GREACEN.

Bloomfield Savings Institution.

Abstract from Annual Report to the Secretary of State, dated January 1, 1886.

ASSETS.
Loans on Bond and Mortgage, \$63,982.22
Loans on Collateral security, 1,050.00
U. S. Bonds, (market value,) 1,650.00
Interest due and accrued, 2,283.19
Cash on hand and in Bank, 8,301.85
\$76,267.26

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors, including Interest to date, 88,539.98

Surplus, \$6,727.28

The above is a true and correct statement of the condition of the Bloomfield Savings Institution on the first day of January, 1886.

JOS. K. OAKES, Vice President.

THOS. C. DODD, Treasurer.

WM. H. WHITE, M. D., Auditing Committee.

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